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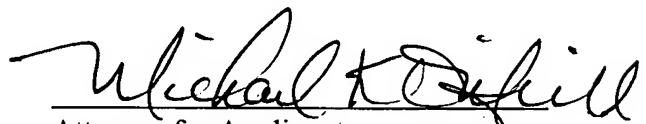
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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **E-MAINTENANCE SYSTEM**

the specification of which

is attached hereto

was filed on October 30th, 2003 as United States Application No. 10/695.915

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56.

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United Kingdom	0225509.9	01/11/2002	YES

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